Introduction to Digital Signal Processing (DSP)

Books

- S Poornachandra and B Sasikala, Digital Signal Processing, 3rd edition, Mc Graw Hill
- J.G. Proakis and D.G. Manolakis, Digital Signal Processing 3rd edition, Prentice-Hall.
- R.G Lyons, Understanding Digital Signal processing, 2nd edition, Prentice-Hall.

What is Digital Signal Processing?

Digital: operating by the use of discrete signals to represent data in the form of numbers

Signal: a parameter (electrical quantity or effect) that can be varied in such a way as to convey information

Processing: a series operations performed according to programmed instructions



changing or analysing information which is measured as discrete sequences of numbers

Applications of DSP - Biomedical

Biomedical: analysis of biomedical signals, diagnosis, patient monitoring, preventive health care, artificial organs



Examples:

1) electrocardiogram (ECG) signal – provides doctor with information about the condition of the patient's heart

2) electroencephalogram (EEG) signal – provides Information about the activity of the brain

Applications of DSP - Speech

Speech applications:

Examples

1) noise reduction – reducing background noise in the sequence produced by a sensing device (microphone)



2) speech recognition – differentiating between various speech sounds

3) synthesis of artificial speech – text to speech systems for blind



Applications of DSP - Communications

Communications:



Examples

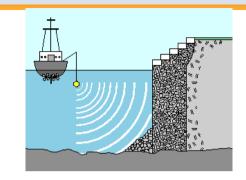
1) telephony – transmission of information in digital form via telephone lines, modem technology, mobile phones

2) encoding and decoding of the information sent over a physical channel (to optimise transmission or to detect or correct errors in transmission)



Applications of DSP - Radar

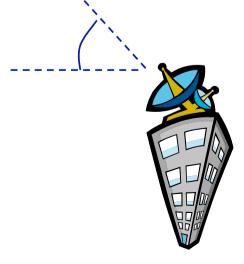
Radar and Sonar:







1) target detection – position and velocity estimation



2) tracking

Applications of DSP – Image Processing

Image Processing:

Examples

1) content based image retrieval – browsing, searching and retrieving images from database



INFORMATION RETRIEVAL



2) image enhancement

2) compression - reducing the redundancy in the image data to optimise transmission / storage



Applications of DSP – Music

Music Applications:



Examples:

1) Recording





3) Manipulation (mixing, special effects)

Applications of DSP - Multimedia

Multimedia:



generation storage and transmission of sound, still images, motion pictures

Examples:

1) digital TV



2) video conferencing

